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To: McClain-Vanderpool, Lisa [Mcclain-Vanderpool.Lisa@epa.gov]

Subject: RE: Mike - please fact check my summary for management

Looks good. The report: I fixed it in the write up.

Thanks, Lisa

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From: McClain-Vanderpool, Lisa

Sent: Monday, March 20, 2017 3:01 PM **To:** Cirian, Mike < Cirian. Mike@epa.gov>

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Eric Whitney of Montana Public Radio conducted a taped interview on 3/20 at noon with Mike Cirian, RPM for the CFAC site in Columbia Falls.

He wanted to hear about the Community Involvement Plan (CIP) and what concerns the community has expressed thus far. Mike relayed there were concerns about contaminants and the future of the site and its impact on business in Columbia Falls. Eric asked about how the community could comment and where to find the plan. Referring to Phase I of the draft Data Summary Report, Eric asked what the data shows. Mike indicated that the 7000 page report had not yet been fully analyzed but that it will have results from wells, surface water, groundwater and sediment sampling efforts. Mike indicated that the data is not showing anything we hadn't seen already and that there were no results that indicated a need for immediate action. The metals found were the fluoride, cyanide and metals as expected. Mike also mentioned that the data show that the contaminants are not moving downstream to Aluminum City. The reporter asked whether the current administration/budget changes will impact the site and Mike responded that due to the settlement with the PRP the work to be done between now and 2021 when the feasibility study should be complete would not be affected by the administration and that the Superfund process and negotiations would determine the outcome after that point.

Mike did an excellent job.

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